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## Smelterville

### Fuels Assessment

The area around Smelterville is a superfund clean up site where forest vegetation is sparse and wildfire risk is the low.

### Community Risk Assessment

Smelterville had a population of 464 individuals reported during the 2000 census. This is a small community with a concentration of buildings near the community center, and a dispersion of structures in the surrounding hillsides, and at the airport. There are approximately 369 structures within 1.25 miles of the community center. The outlying structures (averaging 0.5 miles beyond the city center) are at moderate risk to wildfire loss. There are approximately 130 structures in this moderate-risk zone. Many of these structures are associated with mining. Rural fire protection for Smelterville is provided by Shoshone County Fire District 2 with stations in Pinehurst and Kellogg. The boundary between the two districts divides the community in half. Wildfire protection services are provided by the Idaho Department of Lands in Cataldo.

